GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH
A B S T R A C T

Public Servants – Social Welfare Department – Sri D.V.Ramana Murthy, the then Deputy Director(SW), Vizianagaram District and presently working as Deputy Director(SW), Visakhapatnam District –Departmental action under Rule 20 of the A.P. Civil Services (CCA) Rules, 1991 against him – Further action dropped – Orders – Issued.

SOCIAL WELFARE (VIG.A1) DEPARTMENT

G.O.RT.No. 320 **Dated: 26-07-2017**

Read the following:-

1. GO Rt. No. 694 SW (Ser.II.1) Dept., dated 20-10-2012.
2. Explanation dated 27-12-2015 of Sri D.V.Ramana Murthy, the then Deputy Director(SW), Vizianagaram District and presently Deputy Director(SW), Visakhapatnam District.
3. Govt. Memo No. 11057/SW.Vig.A1/2011, dated 02-07-2016
4. The Director of Social Welfare, AP, Tadepalli letter No. A1/1352/2012, dated 20-06-2017

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O R D E R:

In the reference 1st read above, article of charges have been framed against Sri D.V.Ramana Murthy, the then Deputy Director(SW), Vizianagaram District and presently Deputy Director(SW), Visakhapatnam District on suomoto case registered by the Hon'ble Lokayukta based on a news item published in Eenadu Telugu Daily dated 20-07-2011 with regard to irregular drawal of amounts from ATM on 23-6-2009 at late night using ATM cards of the students by the Management of Vasu Junior College, Bobbili, Vizianagaram district by retaining the ATM cards with them. He denied the charges framed against him in his explanation vide reference 2nd read above stating that whatever he did was with a good intention and in good faith and for the betterment of department's performance. He further submitted that there is no irregularity in the issue and no financial irregularity is involved in the charges and requested that charges may be dropped.

2. In the reference 4th read above, the Director of Social Welfare, AP, Tadepalli in his remarks on the explanation of the charged officer stated that the primary responsibility of the ABCWO is to distribute the Ez Pay Cards to the students. The Nodal Officer duty is to take action for supplying Ez Pay Cards from the Banks concerned at the earliest. Hence, the explanation submitted by the Charged Officer on Charge-1 is convincing. On the explanation of the charged officer on Charge-2, the Director of Social Welfare, AP, Tadepalli in his remarks stated that being the Nodal Officer, the DD(SW) had taken action for filing police case and case was registered during his tenure only. But the case was closed after due enquiry by the Police Authority in his absence since he was transferred from Vizianagaram to Visakhapatnam district.

3. Government after careful examination of the case in detail decide to drop further action against Sri D.V.Ramana Murthy, the then Deputy Director(SW), Vizianagaram District and presently Deputy Director(SW), Visakhapatnam District. Accordingly, the action is hereby dropped against Sri D.V.Ramana Murthy, DD(SW).

4. The Director of Social Welfare, AP, Tadepalli shall take further action in the matter accordingly.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

S.S. RAWAT
PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To
The Individual
(through the Director of Social Welfare, AP, Tadepalli)
The Director of Social Welfare, AP, Tadepalli
S.F. & S.C.

// FORWARDED:: BY ORDER //

SECTION OFFICER